Fair Political Practices Commission

MEMORANDUM

November 5, 2014

TO: Interested Persons

FR: Lynda Cassady, Chief, Technical Assistance Division

RE: Campaign Manual and Form 511 (Paid Spokesperson Report)

General Purpose Recipient Committees: A campaign disclosure manual for general purpose recipient committees, including political party committees, has been revised to address the new provisions of Senate Bill 27. Chapters 1 and 15, which address SB 27's major provisions, are provided in Word format and will be converted to InDesign in the coming weeks. Provisions changed in other chapters are highlighted in yellow. The new draft manual incorporates the information currently outlined in the FPPC fact sheet for multi-purpose organizations and provides new instructions for completing Form 511 (Paid Spokesperson Report). We will incorporate the new contribution limits chart following the Commission's November meeting.

Form 511 (Paid Spokesperson Report): Assembly Bill 510, effective January 1, 2015, will require additional reporting of payments made to certain individuals that appear in ballot measure advertisements. The form instructions have been revised to address the new reporting requirements.

Comments: Staff has held over the adoption of the Slate Mailer Manual and the revisions to the Major Donor Manual and Independent Expenditure Committee Manual until the January Commission meeting. These manuals, along with the General Purpose Recipient Committee Manual and the Form 511, are expected to be on the Commission's January 2015 agenda.

Please provide comments on all of the campaign materials by **December 5, 2014**, so that staff may incorporate changes for the January Commission meeting. Please email comments to: Tara Stock at tstock@fppc.ca.gov or myself at lcassady@fppc.ca.gov.